

# The Week of March 22<sup>nd</sup>—March 28<sup>th</sup>



Monday	7:30 a.m.	Maria Bettendorf
	9:00 a.m.	Intentions of J. Bradley Kennedy
Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	James & Patricia Bettendorf
	9:00 a.m.	Rev. J. Scott Duarte
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Brandon Lawn†
	6:30 p.m.	Michael Waller
Thursday	7:30 a.m.	Roselind Davis†
	9:00 a.m.	William Chorzempa†
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Robert Bradley†
	7:00 p.m.	Robert B. Byrnes Sr. Family
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	John & Kathleen Hannon
	5:00 p.m.	Elizabeth Berinato†
	7:00 p.m.	Theresa S. Ingolia†
Sunday	7:30 a.m.	Priest Intentions
	9:00 a.m.	People of St. William of York
	10:30 a.m.	Intentions of Maria Kelly & Family
	12:15 p.m.	Col. Paul Kelly†
	5:00 p.m.	Jim & Joy Heidmous

On Friday's during Lent, Stations of the Cross will be prayed starting at 6:30 p.m. followed by Mass at **7:00 p.m.**

## †Confession Schedule† March 22<sup>nd</sup>—March 27<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday:	9:30 a.m.
Wednesday:	6:30 p.m.
Thursday:	9:30 a.m.
Friday:	7:30 p.m.
Saturday:	9:30 a.m.
Saturday:	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.*
Saturday:	6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

(\*The penitent in the confessional at 4:30 p.m. will be the last confession heard.)

## Sunday Collection for 3/14/10

Offertory:	\$16,178.00
Debt:	\$ 4,294.00
Catholic Relief Services:	\$ 3,091.00
Total:	\$23,563.00

Thank you and may God bless you for your continued support and generosity.

## We Joyfully Welcome into the Catholic Faith

**Alaina Claire Li** daughter of Meng Li and Debbie Renaudi-Li.

**Alissa Jacqueline Li** daughter of Meng Li and Debbie Renaudi-Li.

**Nadia Marie Li** daughter of Meng Li and Debbie Renaudi-Li.



## Prayer Request...

Please keep everyone who is serving in Iraq and Afghanistan and their family members in your prayers.

Rev. Eric Albertson, Ralph Allison, PFC Phillip Churchill, Capt. James Cleary, Shawn Cunningham, Brian Dawson, Robert Deisbeck, Lt. Col. Richard G. de Guzman, Lt. Col. Tina Marie G. de Guzman, John Ferry, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Brian Flanagan, Jason Freed, Richard Garver, Specialist John Gentile, Keirsten Hage, Maj. Jason Heuer, Ryan Kraft, Nicholas Kubick, Kent Larson, Tyron Anthony Layug, Michael Luther, H.N. Daric Martin, Major Thomas McNally, Orlando Medina, Robert Mills, Shane Montgomery, Travis Morgan, Darby Noonan, Gavin Reed, Jonathan K. Rost, Thomas Ryan, Christopher Schap, Daniel Stehm, Bobby Stone, Gregory Thomas, Mark Thomas, Chris Tolliver, Vincent Torney, and Gregory Wooton.

*Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen*

If you have a relative serving in Iraq or Afghanistan and would like to have his/her name included in our prayer list, please contact the parish office.

## Easter Egg Hunt

The parish Easter Egg Hunt is on Easter Sunday at 3:45 p.m. in the school field. For each child who plans to participate, please provide 12 plastic eggs filled with wrapped candy, stickers, or small toys. Filled eggs must be dropped off by April 1<sup>st</sup>. A box will be located in the church lobby and in the Religious Education office. For more info, or to help with this event, contact the parish office at (540) 659-1102 or parishoffice@swoycc.org.

## Religious Education

The Religious Education is sponsoring the Soup Kitchen on Friday, March 26<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to help please contact the RE office at 659-5705.

There will be no RE classes on Easter Sunday, April 4<sup>th</sup>.

The mandatory First Communion retreat will be on April 17<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

## Raphael Ministries

March 23<sup>rd</sup> Rosary Makers will meet in the Brent Room from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

March 24<sup>th</sup> Liturgy of the Hours Prayer Group will meet in the Brent Room following the 9 a.m. Mass.

March 25<sup>th</sup> Health and Wellness Clinic will be open from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

March 25<sup>th</sup> Knitting for the Needy will meet in the Brent Room from 1p.m. to 2 p.m.

March 30<sup>th</sup> Rosary Makers will meet in the Brent Room from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

March 30<sup>th</sup> Brain Train will meet in the Brent Room from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

March 31<sup>st</sup> Liturgy of the Hours Prayer Group will meet at the Convent after the 9 a.m. Mass.

## Baptismal Preparation Class

The next Baptismal Preparation Class in English will be held on **Wednesday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.** in the Library. The next Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on **Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m.** in the Brent Room. It is **mandatory that all parents register** with the parish office (659-1102) before the class.

## Easter Flowers

Easter flower envelopes are available in the main entrance of the church. If you would like to donate to our Easter flower collection in memory of a loved one, please pick up an Easter flower envelope and return it in the collection at Mass or in the parish office no later than Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup>.

## Thank You

Thank you for your generosity in last week's Catholic Relief Services collection. Because of you, millions of people all over the world will receive vital assistance. You have truly given hope to Jesus in disguise. Please visit ([www.usccb.org/nationalcollections](http://www.usccb.org/nationalcollections)) to learn more about the programs and projects supported by the Catholic Relief Services collection.

## St. William of York Catholic School

### Old World Auction and Dinner a Hit!

The Old World Auction and Dinner hosted on Saturday, March 6<sup>th</sup> was highly successful! Guests were entertained by "Two For The Road", served a wonderful Italian dinner from La Rosetta Ristorante, and had the opportunity to bid on many fantastic deals. Once again, our highest bid of the evening was Fr. DeMartino's Italian Dinner, which was auctioned off for an amazing \$2,200! Fr. Magat's Swing Lessons came in at a close second totaling \$1,025.

Profits from this Auction are just over **\$16,000!** The students and families, staff and faculty of St. William of York Catholic School extend a most heartfelt **THANK YOU** to all our donors and guests!

The Chairs would like to thank all our wonderful volunteers who helped make this such a successful event: Shay Martello, Beth Jones, Mary Gallagher-Stout, Stacy Melancon, Sally Morrison, Tom and Mimi Faha, Marguerite Thompson, Lori Meade and all the Marines and Sailors from Marine Corps Base Quantico who gave us a hand! Your cheerful attitude was most appreciated!

Tune in next year for the theme, date and time of the 2011 Auction!

### Athletics Fundraisers

Yankee Candle Fundraiser: This year's Yankee Candle sales will run during the month of March. Catalogs and order forms will be sent home the second week of March. All orders are due back to the school office no later than *Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>*. If you would like to help with this fundraiser, or have any questions please contact Lisa Morrison at [r\\_morrison7@comcast.net](mailto:r_morrison7@comcast.net). Support your Panthers!

Donations: Clean out your closets & garage to raise money for the St. William of York athletic department! We are looking for used, but not used up, field hockey, softball, baseball, lacrosse, soccer, golf, wrestling and exercise equipment! We will take most equipment related to these sports such as: sticks, shin guards, balls, gloves, bats, exercise bikes, dumbbells, ellipticals, etc. bring your equipment for donation to the St. William of York gym between 9 a.m. and 12 p.m. on Saturday, March 27<sup>th</sup>!

Proceeds from the Athletics Fundraisers help keep the participation fee each athlete is required to pay to a manageable amount, as well as provide new uniforms and equipment that constantly require replacing or supplementing. This year we have been able to expand the Boys' Basketball Team and Boys' Baseball Team to include a JV division for students in grades 5 and 6. This expansion provides a feeder team for our Varsity level, as well as allowing more students from the parish and school to participate in sports.



## **This Week in our Parish**

### **Sunday, March 21**

8:00 a.m. K of C Pancake Breakfast (Center)  
 8:45 a.m. RE Classes  
 9:45 a.m. Choir (Brent Room)  
 10:45 a.m. RE Classes  
 1:00 p.m. CYO Basketball (Gym)  
 2:00 p.m. NFP Class (Brent Room)  
 5:00 p.m. Sunday Supper (Center)  
 6:30 p.m. RE Classes  
 6:30 p.m. Adult Ed. (Brent Room)  
 6:45 p.m. CYO (Gym)  
 7:00 p.m. Venture Crew (K of C Hall)

### **Monday, March 22**

### **Tuesday, March 23**

9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
 9:30 a.m. Rosary Makers (Brent Room)  
 3:30 p.m. Fiat Group (Brent Room)  
 4:00 p.m. Baseball Practice (Gym)  
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Center)  
 7:15 p.m. Work Camp Meeting (Brent Room)

### **Wednesday, March 24**

9:30 a.m. Liturgy Prayer Group (Brent Room)  
 6:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)  
 7:00 p.m. K of C Meeting (K of C Hall)  
 7:30 p.m. Baptism Class (Library)  
 7:30 p.m. RCIA (Center)

### **Thursday, March 25**

Annunciation of the Lord  
 8:30 a.m. Health and Wellness Clinic (Raphael Min.)  
 9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
 1:00 p.m. Knitting for the Needy (Brent Room)  
 4:00 p.m. Baseball Practice (Gym)  
 6:00 p.m. Cantors (Church)  
 6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (Art Room)  
 7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary (Brent Room)  
 7:00 p.m. Choir (Church)  
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Center)

### **Friday, March 26**

½ Day of School  
 4:00 p.m. Cub Scouts (Fire Ring)  
 5:00 p.m. Soup Supper (Center)  
 6:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross (Church)  
 7:00 p.m. Confessions (Church)

### **Saturday, March 27**

9:00 a.m. Troop Board Game Day (Center)  
 9:30 a.m. Confessions (Church)  
 9:30 a.m. Baseball Practice (Gym)  
 3:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)  
 5:45 p.m. Spanish Choir (Brent Room)  
 6:30 p.m. Spanish Confessions (Church)



*Cast the first stone,  
if you are without sin!*

## **Fifth Sunday of Lent March 21, 2010**

### **First Reading: Isaiah 43:16-21**

God says not to remember the events from long ago, but to focus on the things He plans to do next. He also claims He will again help His chosen people when they need Him.

### **Second Reading: Philippians 3:8-14**

Paul describes knowledge of Jesus as more important than knowledge of the Old Law. He wishes to share in the power of Jesus' resurrection, and speaks of concentrating on the finish line of the race with salvation as the prize to be won.

### **Gospel: John 8:1-11**

Jesus preached forgiveness of sin, but in the old law those accused of adultery were to be stoned. So the Pharisees tried to trap Jesus and brought a woman accused of adultery to Him, asking Him what He would do to her. Jesus asked that one without sin cast the first stone, and then all of the elders left. Jesus told the woman that He did not condemn her, but warned her to avoid such sin in the future.

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## **Pray for a Priest Each Day...**

This week please pray for

March 21 <sup>st</sup>	Rev. Donald Planty
March 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Rev. Michael Taylor
March 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Rev. Alexander Drummond
March 24 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Thomas Ferguson
March 25 <sup>th</sup>	Annunciation of the Lord Pope Benedict XVI
March 26 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Richard Guest
March 27 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Donald Rooney

*O Jesus, Eternal High Priest, Live in (Name of priest), act in him, speak in him and through him. Think Your Thoughts in his mind, love through his heart. Give him Your Own dispositions and feelings. Teach, lead and guide him always. Correct, enlighten and expand his thought and behavior. Posses his soul, take over his entire personality and life. Replace him with Yourself. Incline him to constant adoration and thanksgiving; pray in and through him. Amen*

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# Lenten Soup Kitchen

Every Friday during Lent, except for Good Friday different organizations of the parish will sponsor a Soup Kitchen in the parish center at 5:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. Join us for a sacrificial meal of homemade soup and a sandwich for a small donation, followed by Stations of the Cross.



# Stations of the Cross

Friday's at 6:30 p.m. in the Church.  
Living Stations will be on Good Friday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:30 p.m. in the parish center.

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## Catholic Youth Organization Fundraiser

### Mulch now available

High-quality hardwood mulch is now available to pre-order. All proceeds support the CYO (Catholic Youth Organization) program and WorkCamp 2010. Order form and payment must be received by the parish office **by April 2<sup>nd</sup>**.

Mulch will be available **for pick-up on Saturday, April 10<sup>th</sup>**. If you order 50 bags or more of mulch, it will be delivered to your home free of charge. The fee for spreading is an additional \$2 per bag.

Thank you for supporting the youth at St. William of York! If you have any questions, please contact the parish office @ parishoffice@swoycc.org or (540)659-1102.

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### CYO Mulch Pre-Order Form

Return form and payment **by April 2** to: St. William of York, **Attn: CYO**, 3130 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Stafford, VA 22554

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ VA Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ cell ph. \_\_\_\_\_

Payment method enclosed: cash / check

# \_\_\_\_\_ bags of mulch ordered @ **\$4.00 each** = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Select one:**

1) I will pick up my mulch at St. William of York on:  Saturday, April 10  
*Pickup time is 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.*

2) I have ordered 50+ bags of mulch and would like free delivery. **Add** spreading @ \$2 per bag = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
*(You will be contacted to arrange a delivery date and time.)*

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For office use only

Paid Date \_\_\_\_\_ Pick Up Date \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery Date \_\_\_\_\_ Delivered \_\_\_\_\_ Spread Date \_\_\_\_\_

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